private, for the sale of such bonds; and such contracts may contain such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by and between the common council of said city of Skagway and the United States of America, or any agency or instrumentality thereof, or any such purchaser.

Effective date.

Sec. 7. This Act shall take effect immediately. Approved, March 2, 1936.

[CHAPTER 115.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To provide for safeguarding of traffic on Military Road.

poration. Use of part of Military Road granted to.

March 2, 1936. H. J. Res. 488.

[Pub. Res., No. 75.]

Provisos. Use as public road continued. Vol. 37, p. 583.

Conditions.

Parking, etc., prohibited.

Penalty.

Jurisdiction over offenses.

Amendment, etc.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the National Airport Cor- United States of America in Congress assembled, That permission is hereby granted to the National Airport Corporation to use as a part of the runway of its airport located near the City of Washington, District of Columbia, such part of the road commonly known as Military Road as may be necessary to connect the two parts of the said airport now separated by the said road; that part of the road to be used for such runway to be determined by the Department of Commerce: Provided, That the part of the road hereinabove described shall continue in use as a public road and be open to the public, as contemplated by the Act of Congress approved August 24, 1912 (37 Stat. 569, 583), except when necessarily closed during its use for the landing and taking off of airplanes: And provided further, That the permission herein granted shall be effective only so long as the said National Airport Corporation provides, maintains, and operates such traffic signals or other safety devices as shall be approved by the Department of Commerce to protect airplane and vehicular traffic on and over the part of the road herein authorized to be used.

> Sec. 2. Any person who, knowingly, during its use for the landing or taking off of airplanes, enters, attempts to enter, or who at any time parks upon that part of the road herein authorized to be used shall be punished by a fine not to exceed \$500, or imprisoned not to exceed six months, or both.

> Sec. 3. Jurisdiction over offenses committed in violation of this joint resolution is hereby vested in the nearest commissioner, judge, or court of the United States having jurisdiction in the premises. SEC. 4. Congress reserves the right to alter, amend, or repeal this

joint resolution. Approved, March 2, 1936.

[CHAPTER 121.]

March 3, 1936. [S. 399.]

[Public, No. 466.]

AN ACT To amend sections 416 and 417 of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia.

District of Columbia. Sale of certain prop-

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 416 rety in hands of police. of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia be amended by striking out the word "fifty" where it occurs in said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred".

SEC. 2. That section 417 of the Revised Statutes relating to the District of Columbia be amended so as to read as follows:

Unclaimed property. Motor vehicles.

"Sec. 417. All property, except perishable property and animals, that shall remain in the custody of the property clerk for the period of six months, with the exception of motor vehicles which shall be held for a period of three months, without any lawful claimant thereto after having been three times advertised in some daily newspaper of general circulation published in the District of Columbia. shall be sold at public auction, and the proceeds of such sale having been retained by the said property clerk for a period of three months without a lawful claimant, shall then be paid into the policemen's fund; and all money that shall remain in his hands for said period of six months shall be so advertised, and if no lawful claimant appear shall be likewise paid into the policemen's fund."

Approved, March 3, 1936.

Proceeds of sales.

[CHAPTER 122.]

AN ACT

For the relief of World War soldiers who were discharged from the Army because of minority or misrepresentation of age.

March 3, 1936. [H. R. 8966.] [Public, No. 467.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That in the administration of any laws conferring rights, privileges, or benefits upon discharged because of honorably discharged soldiers of the United States Army, their representation deemed widows and dependent children, a soldier who served as an enlisted honorably discharged. man between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918, both dates inclusive, and who was discharged for fraudulent enlistment on account of minority or misrepresentation of age, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been discharged honorably from the military service on the date of his actual separation therefrom if his service otherwise was such as would have entitled him to an honorable discharge: Provided, That no back pay or allowance shall accrue by reason of the passage of this Act: Provided further, That in all such cases the War Department shall, upon request, grant to such men, or their widows, a discharge certificate showing that the soldier is held and considered to have been honorably discharged under the provisions of this Act.

Army. World War soldiers

No back pay, etc. Issuance of certifi-

Approved, March 3, 1936.

[CHAPTER 123.]

AN ACT

Authorizing a preliminary examination of the Esopus Creek and its tributaries of Birch, Bushnelville, Woodland, Warner Bushkill, and Beaverkill Creeks; Sawkill, Rondout, and Neversink Creeks, Ulster County; Schoharie and Catskill Creeks, Greene County; Neversink, Beaverkill, East Branch of Delaware, Willowemoc, and Lackawack Rivers, Sullivan County; Schoharie Creek and its tributaries, Schoharie County, all located in the State of New York with a view to the controlling of floods York, with a view to the controlling of floods.

March 3, 1936. [H. R. 9062.] [Public, No. 468.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is authorized and directed to cause a preliminary examination to be made of Esopus Creek and its tributaries of Birch, Bushnelville, Woodland, Warner Bushkill, and Beaverkill Creeks, Sawkill, Rondout, and Neversink Creeks, Ulster County; Schoharie and Catskill Creeks, Greene County; Neversink, Beaverkill, East Branch of Delaware, Willowemoc, and Lackawack Rivers, Sullivan County; Schoharie Creek and its tributaries, Schoharie County, all located in the State of New York, with a view to the control of floods, in accordance with the provisions of section 3 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for control of floods of the Mississippi River, and the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes", approved March 1, 1917, the cost thereof to be paid from appropriations heretofore or hereafter made for examinations, surveys, and contingencies of rivers and harbors.

Esopus Creek and tributaries, N. Y. Survey directed for controlling floods.

Vol. 39, p. 950. U. S. C., p. 1487.

Approved, March 3, 1936.